लगाए जाएं और यह सुनिश्चित करना मंत्रालय का उत्तरदायित्व होना चाहिए। जिस परिमंडल में ऐसा न हो, उस परिमंडल के मुख्य महाप्रबन्धकों का उत्तरदायित्व निश्चित किया जाए। धन्यवाद।

**श्रीमती माया सिंह** (मध्य प्रदेश): महोदय, मैं माननीय सदस्य से स्वयं को संबद्ध करती हूं।

**श्री सुरेन्द्र लाठ** (उड़ीसा): महोदय, मैं माननीय सदस्य से स्वयं को संबद्ध करता हूं।

**श्रीमती हेमा मालिनी** (नाम-निर्देशित): महोदय, मैं माननीय सदस्य से स्वयं को संबद्ध करती हूं।

## Demand to make available fertilisers and seeds to farmers on demand

**डा॰ छत्रपाल सिंह लोधा** (उड़ीसा): महोदय, देश में, विशेषकर उत्तर प्रदेश के जनपद बुलन्दशहर में खाद और बीज का भारी अभाव है। किसानों को खाद और बीज न मिलने के कारण भारी परेशानी का सामना करना पड़ रहा है और अब आने वाली फसल की बुआई होने वाली है। किसान को इन दोनों चीजों की अत्यन्त आवश्यकता है। यदि खाद और बीज उपलब्ध नहीं हो पाते हैं तो किसान अपनी फसल नहीं बो पाएगा और वह तथा उसका परिवार भुखमरी के कगार पर पहुंच जाएगा। देश में नकली तथा मिलावटी खाद एवं बीज बेचा जा रहा है। मेरा सदन के माध्यम से सरकार से आग्रह है कि किसानों को उर्वरक (डीएपी) व बीज मांग के अनुरूप उपलब्ध कराए जाएं व उर्वरक व बीज की नकल, मिलावट और कालाबाजारी को रोकने के लिए सरकार प्रभावी प्रबंध करे। धन्यवाद।

## Demand for central legislation to restore reservations in private professional colleges in the country

SHRI PENUMALLI MADHU (Andhra Pradesh): The Supreme Court's judgement of August 12, 2005 setting aside the reservation for the meritorious and the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe students in the private professional colleges is beset with serious consequences. Henceforth, Dalits, Girijans, Backward Classes and other poorer and weaker sections of the society would not have entry into the private professional colleges as hitherto. Because of the special historical factors, provisions were made in the Constitution of India for reservation to enable the traditionally oppressed classes to catch up with the rest of the society. This judgement is a blow to this core concept and provides an impetus to commercialisation of higher education where only profit dominates. Professional education would henceforth be the exclusive privilege of the rich.

Already because of neo-liberal policy, there has been a continuous withdrawal of the State from the field of higher education to provide greater space for private players. Thus, the role of the Government and the aided colleges being nominal, the policy of reservation would have name-sake effect, eroding seriously the constitutional principles in letter and spirit. It is, therefore, just and obligatory for the Government of India to come forward with a Central legislation to restore reservation overcoming the limitations imposed by the verdict. It should be an umbrella Central legislation to enable the States to regulate admissions, fee, curriculum and infrastructure. I urge the Government of India for this.

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE (West Bengal): Sir,...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: No, we will not entertain any other speech. Please only associate yourself.

SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY (Karnataka): Sir, it is a serious matter. It is agitating in the minds of the people throughout the nation.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: You see, this is a Special Mention, no more discussion. However, we will examine your request. All these things are not going on record. If you so persist,you give notice and discuss it. But in the Special Mention it is not allowed. *(Interruptions)* The Minister wants to respond, allow him.

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE AND MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY): Sir, it has been the tradition of the House that Special Mentions are responded to by the Ministers in writting. At least, I have been doing it myself. I am sure, other Members of the Cabinet too are doing it.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, Mr.Rama Muni Reddy Sirigireddy. ...*(Interruptions)*... I am not entertaining any other discussion on this. You are breaking...

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): Sir, the Government has responded saying that it is evolving a common national approach on this subejct which addresses national, social and constitutional imperatives...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: But ...*(Interruptions)*... Mr. Narayanasamy, nothing will go on record because it is only a Special Mention. Please...

SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY:*

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:*

MR.DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please sit down, I will clarify. The convention is that in the Special Mention, no other mater is permitted; the Member is not even allowed to say anything beyond what he has submitted to the Chairman. Only after verifying everything the Chairman allows the Special Mention. If all Special Mentions go for discussion, there will not be any end to it. As far as the reply is concerned, the Government is bound to reply to all the Special Mentions made by individual hon. Members. If any hon. Member has not received a reply, he can inform the Secretariat, and we will take it up and direct all the Ministers to strictly adhere and reply to all the Special Mentions.

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:*

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The Government will take into consideration the sentiment of the House. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY: Sir,our senior colleague, the HRD Minister, is already seized of the matter. Necessary initiatives will be taken and the Member's Special Mention will be responded to.

**Demand to ban violence, obscenity, remixes etc. in films and television programmes**

SHRI RAMA MUNI REDDY SIRIGIREDDY (Andhra Pradesh): Sir, it is welcome that the Government of India has declared that from 2nd October onwards no smoking scenes would be allowed in films. Even according to a report of the WHO, scenes in Indian films are such that they encourage smoking. Now, smoking has become a symbol of heroism unlike earlier films where only villains used to smoke.

But, is it the only thing that we find in films/ Don't we find obscenity and vulgarity that has reached to its highest proportions in films today? Don't we find increasing violence in films which has a direct bearing on society/ Do not we find how remixes are influencing the minds of young children? Don't we find deteriorating moral and ethical values in making or showing them in films? Are we not concerned about increasing exploitation of sex

* Not recorded